Demand.	Amount in Rupees.	Particulars.
XVI. Capital Expenditure not charged to Revenue—Reproductive Works—Rubber Factory.	4,580	For paying off the liabilities incurred on account of works carried out by the P. W. D. in connection with the starting of works in the factory.
XXIX. 30. Scientific and Miscellaneous Departments.		
The Sri Chitralayam.	8,293	For obtaining additional collections.

DEMANDS FOR SUPPLEMENTARY GRANTS.

DEMAND XXI—REGISTRATION.

MR. K. MADHAVA KURUP : Sir, I rise to move for a grant of Rs. 4,000 under demand XXI—Registration. The allotment is required for expenditure on binding charges, partly to meet the arrears of 1115 and partly to meet the expenses of this year. The expenditure on binding charges in 1115 amounted to Rs. 5261, but funds were available only to the extent of Rs. 2249 and a sum of Rs. 3,012 remained to be paid this year. The allotment this year is Rs. 1,500 and the balance required to pay up the arrears is Rs. 1,512. Expenditure has to be incurred this year also under "binding charges". I therefore request that the House will be pleased to grant a sum of Rs. 4,000 under Demand XXI—Registration.

The question before the House that a sum of Rs. 4,000 be granted under Demand XXI—Registration was put to vote and carried.

DEMAND XXV—JAILS.

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR : Sir, I rise to move for an additional allotment of Rs. 12,000 under Demand XXV—Jaills. The total Budget grant for 1116 under Establishment and Contingencies, is Rs. 61,862 of which Rs. 46,640 has been expended up to the 4th March 1941. The balance available is only Rs. 15,222 which is insufficient. An additional allotment of Rs. 12,000 is required under the following heads—Establishment Rs. 900, Dieting charges Rs. 95,000, Clothing and bedding Rs. 1,000, other items Rs 600.

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[Rajyasevapravina M. K. Nilakanta Aiyar.]

As regards Establishment, the additional sum of Rs. 900 required is due to the opening of a temporary Jail at Alleppey and the appointment of an additional Jailor. In regard to dieting charges the increase is due to (1) the average cost having risen on account of the contract rate being higher and (2) the increase of jail population. The additional cost on account of clothing and bedding is due to the rise in the jail population. The others are only minor items. I request that the grant may be sanctioned.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI: I rise to a point of order. These are motions for supplementary grants. Apart from the merits or demerits of the demand, I wish to know whether these motions are in order because we have not been given any notice about them. We got the agenda only when we entered this room. We have to consider whether we should sanction those amounts or not.

PRESIDENT: Do you move for an adjournment?

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI: I want to urge upon the attention of the House and wish to bring to the pointed attention of the Chair that this procedure is highly objectionable.

PRESIDENT: When was the notice issued about these supplementary grants?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: We were given no notice.

SECRETARY: The preliminary list of business (agenda) was circulated more than a week ago. These were included in the agenda.

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: That makes the position worse, Sir, because it was not included in the agenda at all.

PRESIDENT: The complaint is that these Supplementary Demands were brought up suddenly without previous notice to the Honourable Members.

MR. S. CHATTANATHA KARAYALAR (*Pathanapuram* cum *Shencottah*): These were placed only on the table here. We had no notice.

PRESIDENT: Very well. Then the House will take up the consideration of the supplementary grants on Wednesday, the 2nd April.

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN: On a point of order, Sir, 2nd April is set apart for non-official business.

PRESIDENT: That is a good point. We shall have it tomorrow.

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS.

THE TRAVANCORE PAYMENT OF WAGES BILL—(*contd.*)

Clause 2—(*contd.*)

MR. PUTHUPALLI S. KRISHNA PILLAI: Sir, we were at Mr. K. G. Govindan's amendment to clause 2 and I had not replied, when the House postponed discussion on this Bill. I oppose the amendment Sir. The proposal is to substitute the following for sub-clause 1 of clause 2.

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